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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PERP CG AO GV
SUBJECT: ZAIRIAN/ANGOLAN RELATIONS

REF: (A) KINSHASA 8129; (B) BRAZZAVILLE 1004

1. VICTOR TAYLOR, DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF MEA'S AFRICA
DEPARTMENT, TOLD CHARGE TODAY THAT NIGERIA HAS NOT YET
AGREED TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE FOUR-NATION
"VERIFICATION COMMISSION" INTENDED TO MONITOR
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECENT ZAIRIAN/ANGOLAN AGREEMENT.
IN FACT, HE SAID, NIGERIA HAS NOT YET RECEIVED A FORMAL
REQUEST TO BE A MEMBER OF THIS COMMISSION.

2. TAYLOR INDICATED THAT THE FMG HAS BEEN VERY PLEASED
BY THE CONCLUSION OF THE ZAIRIAN/ANGOLAND AGREEMENT,
WHICH HE THOUGHT SHOULD CONTRIBUTE TO STABILITY IN THAT AREA.
HE SAID THAT NIGERIA HAD PROPOSED A SOMEWHAT SIMILAR
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"COUNCIL OF OBSERVERS" WHEN IT HAD ENDEAVORED LAST
YEAR TO MEDIATE BETWEEN ZAIRE AND ANGOLA, BUT THAT
"ONE PARTY" HAD STRONGLY OPPOSED THAT APPROACH AT THAT
TIME.

3. TAYLOR GAVE THE IMPRESSION THAT NIGERIA WOULD BE
PLEASED TO SERVE ON THE "VERIFICATION COMMISSION."

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